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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116 <u>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</u> GROUP ART UNIT 2127

<u>PATENT</u>
<u>Case No.: 10022/039</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) Group Art Unit: 2172
Stanton J. Taylor) Examiner: Jean M. Corrielus
Serial No.: 09/677,134	į į
Filed: September 29, 2000	
For: DATA MANAGEMENT FOR NETCENTRIC	
COMPUTING SYSTEMS)

RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 9, 2003

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed December 9, 2003, please consider the following remarks. No additional fees are believed to be required at this time. However, should any additional fees be deemed necessary, please charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.